

BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, JAN. 30, 1906.

HOLDING HIM TO IT.
"I'd die for you!" Old Scadkins cried.
"Say that my wife you'll be!"
Said Mary: "I'll think of it, if you
Will give a guarantee."
—Houston Post.

Spencer is now open for business.
See Spencer's new store.

Pure maple syrup and fresh buck-
wheat flour at Robt. Burchett's.

Everything good to eat at Sulli-
van's.

Oysters, Celery and everything good
at Sullivan's.

New oats, Porco, Cream of wheat,
Cream of Flakes, at Sullivan's.

Everything nice and fresh at Spen-
cer's new store.

The Butler property is being paper-
ed and painted.

Remember that we sell good rubber
felts, etc. Pierce & Derrick.

Clothing at wholesale prices.
Pierce & Derrick.

Roland Horton has been quite sick
for the past few days.

Beautiful fine rugs at lowest prices.
Pierce & Derrick.

FOR SALE.—A desirable cottage of
six rooms in Louisa. Apply at News
office for information.

The protracted meeting at the M.
E. Church, South, is still in progress,
with much interest manifested.

Marion Stone slipped and fell on
the pavement, near the postoffice a
few days ago and sustained painful
injuries.

W. B. Cox has moved his family to
this place and they occupy the prop-
erty of M. S. Burns, recently owned
and occupied by L. D. Rogers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hinkle died at her
home on Mead's branch on the 12th.
She was 69 years old and the widow
of Allen Hinkle, who died three years
ago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lay-
man, of Ironton, on the 14th, a disem-
powered boy—John Herald. Mrs. Lay-
man is a daughter of John T. Jones,
a native of this county.

The Masonic Chapter of this place
has been invited to join the Ash-
land body in a visit to Paintsville to-
morrow evening to assist in conferring
some degrees.

D. M. Ward recently added a hot
soda urn to the excellent equipment
at his restaurant and now serves all
the new and popular drinks, such
as tomato bouillon, clam bouillon,
hot beef tea, chocolate, etc.

Passenger trains will run over the
Naugatuck extension on Sunday, Jan-
uary 21st. The only trains that will
make this new run will be Nos. 3 and
4. Nos. 15 and 16 will use the old line
down Twelve Pole.

Geo. T. Burgess and family, of
Georgetown, desire to express their
appreciation of the kindness shown
them by neighbors and friends dur-
ing the illness and death of his wife,
Angie Borders Burgess.

The street crossings are all very
muddy owing to the torn up condi-
tion of the streets. The authori-
ties turned the hose on some of them
yesterday. This should be done of-
ten until the streets are more set-
tled.

The telephone lines known as the
Georgetown Creek and Echo lines have
been connected with the Louisa ex-
change and are now in good work-
ing order. The Georgetown Creek line
reaches to Lowmanville and the
other line goes to Echo, W. Va.

We carry a full stock of flour and
meal in paper bags for our retail
trade. You will save money by call-
ing on us when in need of anything
in the food line, wholesale and re-
tail. All goods delivered promptly.
Store opposite depot.
D. J. Burchett, Jr., & Company.

F. A. Johnson has resigned his po-
sition as bookkeeper for the whole-
sale grocery firm of Dixon, Moore
& Co., the resignation to take effect
March 1st. He gives up the position
to enter the canvass for County
Clerk. It is not known who will
succeed him.

Mr. D. N. Aiken, the contractor
who is drilling test wells in this
county for the Company organized by
Gen. Wm. A. Clark, has returned
from Pennsylvania and resumed work
in the neighborhood of Yatesville.
One well has been completed, but,
as usual, no information as to the
result is given to the public.

Mrs. Sam Bromley fell last Friday
and broke both bones in her right
arm, near the wrist. The accident
occurred at the home of Mrs. P. H.
Vasquez, where Mrs. Bromley had
called. Dr. A. W. Bromley was called,
and reduced the fracture, and Mrs.
Bromley is now resting as easily as
could be expected.

Mrs. George T. Burgess died at her
home near the mouth of Georgetown
creek last Friday afternoon, of dropsy.
The funeral occurred Sunday. She
was a daughter of the late A. P.
Bordens and was a sister of Mrs. W.
D. Riffe, Mrs. H. C. Sullivan, and
Mrs. P. H. Yalom. She was an ex-
cellent woman and a faithful mem-
ber of the Methodist church. A husband
and six children survive. Louisa re-
latives attended the funeral, which
was conducted by Rev. N. O. Grizzle.

Fire Companies Organized.

A meeting was held at the City
Hall Monday evening for the purpose
of organizing a fire department. R.
L. Vinson was elected chairman and
John G. Burns secretary. H. C.
Sullivan made a strong argument in
favor of the organization. The
chairman appointed Jas. Q. Lackey, A.
J. Garred and W. F. Shipman as a
committee to select a captain for
each of the two wards. Sam Brom-
ley and Dr. F. D. Marcum were chosen.
The captains were instructed to
select ten men each. Perry street
was designated as the dividing line
between the two wards. Jas. O.
Marcum, of Ceredo, was present and
told of the plan of organization in
his town. The meeting adjourned to
meet again on Wednesday evening,
at which time A. J. Garred was elec-
ted presiding officer. The captains
reported the lists selected to com-
pose the fire companies, and they
were approved. W. F. Shipman was
elected Fire Chief. The companies
are made up as follows: Upper
Ward—F. D. Marcum, Captain; Mil-
lard Carey, Geo. Lewis, C. T. Hule,
John O'Brien, N. B. McGuire, Alex.
McKee, Bert Shannon, Jolly Waldeck,
Frank Wellman and Fred Picklesimer.
Lower Ward—Sam Bromley, Captain;
C. B. Ross, Frank Pigg, C. M. Crat-
cher, Barney Reynolds, Buck Crutcher,
R. S. Chaffin, M. W. Chambers, Dan
Stanberry, Ora Adkins, Harry Sam-
mons.

Hon. H. H. Gambill has disposed
of his three farms at Blaine, this
county, and has gone to the blue
grass region of Virginia with the
intention of buying a farm worth
from \$25,000 to \$30,000. The last sale
he made was consummated last Mon-
day, when he disposed of his home
place, including his residence and
stonehouse to R. T. Berry, one of
Blaine's most prosperous and progres-
sive citizens. Mr. Gambill recently
sold his other real estate to parties
from up Big Sandy. It is said he
realized about \$12,000 from his real
estate at Blaine and vicinity. Mr.
Gambill has represented this district
in the Legislature, and is a good
citizen.

James Huff was brought here Wed-
nesday on a charge of stealing a
mule from Sam Thompson, his near-
est neighbor. Both men live over in
Wayne county, W. Va. It is charged
that the mule was brought across in-
to Kentucky and traded for Joe Chap-
man, of Rockcastle, for a horse. The
horse was sold to Benton Reynolds,
of this place, for \$5 in money
and a revolver.

Huff was bound over in the sum of
\$500 to answer to the grand jury.
Reynolds surrendered the horse upon
being re-imbursed to the extent of
his investment.

Services at the M. E. Church South,
for the week beginning Sunday, Oct.
30th, as follows:
Sunday School 9:30 a. m., Judge R.
T. Burns Superintendent.
Praching at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.,
by the pastor.
Midweek prayer meeting Wednes-
day evening, 7 p. m. o'clock.

Our services will begin promptly at
the hours announced, by sun time.
You are cordially invited to worship
with us. O. F. Williams, Pastor.

Dr. L. D. Jones wishes to announce
to his friends and the public that
he has returned from Virginia, and
can be found in his office from 8 a.
m. until 5 p. m. each day. Dr. J.
T. Campbell, formerly of Newport, Ky.,
is now with me. When in need of
first-class dentistry we will be glad
to serve you. "I am glad to say
that I am still trotting in single har-
ness."
Very truly,
L. D. JONES.

FARM FOR SALE.—On river, county
road, in sight of railroad, three
miles south of Louisa, 120 acres, all
rolling, only three acres steep, 2
houses, 1 new, good barns, young or-
chard, 70 trees, beginning to bear,
30 acres in grass, 8 of which is near-
ow. Nearly all cleared. Well fenced.
Good water. Farm well watered for
stock.
JOHN H. AKERS,
Apr. 1.

Mrs. C. J. Carey resigned her po-
sition as teacher in the Louisa pub-
lic schools Tuesday and Miss Jane
O'Brien is filling the place tempo-
rarily. The Board is receiving appli-
cations and will employ a teacher as
soon as possible. Mrs. Carey will go
to Thacker, W. Va., where her hus-
band is engaged in the timber busi-
ness.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.
The following letters remain un-
claimed in the Louisa postoffice for
the week ending last Saturday:
J. M. Burchett.
N. D. Eads.
Mrs. Sallie Salsbury.
Miss Dixie Thompson.
Mr. Lindsay Wilson.
A. M. Hughes, P. M.

G. V. Meek has rented the store
building now occupied by W. M.
Justice, and will open a store in it
as soon as it is vacated by Mr.
Justice. Mr. Meek will also continue
his business at the old stand. Mr.
Justice will move his store into F.
T. D. Wallace's store building, ad-
joining the wholesale grocery house.

Owing to the protracted meeting
going on at the M. E. Church South,
the W. C. T. U. will postpone its
meeting until Friday, the 27th,
which will meet with Mrs. W. E. El-
dridge. All members are requested
to be present and bring some friend
with them. Mrs. Josephine Rice, Pres.

The four-year-old daughter of Bud
Hall, living about two miles from
Louisa, was badly scalded last Sat-
urday and the injuries are thought to
be fatal. The child was running and
playing with some other children near
a kettle of hot water, when she was
pushed into the kettle.

You don't have to go to the city
to see an up-to-date grocery, just go
to Spencer's.

Reception.

Mrs. R. H. Ragland gave a recep-
tion Wednesday afternoon, at which
she introduced her sister, Mrs. John
C. Taylor, of Lexington, who arrived
Tuesday for a visit. It was an inform-
al affair, but proved to be a most
pleasant occasion. With her gracious,
pleasing manner Mrs. Ragland could
not be other than a most agreeable
hostess, and the guests found Mrs.
Taylor to be equally charming. The
reception was from three to five
o'clock. Dainty refreshments were
served. Good taste was in evidence
throughout the affair and in the ar-
rangement of this handsome home.
The guests who were so fortunate
as to be present on this occasion
were as follows:
Mrs. G. R. Vinson,
Mrs. T. H. Roberts,
Mrs. W. N. Sullivan,
Mrs. J. D. Biggs,
Mrs. S. J. Justice,
Mrs. W. E. Eldridge,
Mrs. T. S. Thompson,
Mrs. Augusta Snyder,
Mrs. A. M. Hughes,
Mrs. Nannie Hays,
Mrs. Mary Horton,
Mrs. Dora Cook,
Mrs. Lyde Hutchison,
Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace,
Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr.,
Mrs. J. G. Burns,
Mrs. Will Caine,
Mrs. J. C. Ramsey,
Mrs. J. C. Adams,
Mrs. Robt. Burchett,
Misses Belle Cummings, Lute
Yates and Stella Conley.

Your Eyes.

Many people are suffering from de-
fective eyes and do not realize what
the trouble is. That almost con-
stant headache is due to eye-strain
and can only be cured by glasses
properly fitted. Hundreds of people
continue to squint and strain their
eyes in reading long after they should
have used glasses. This is doing per-
manent injury to the eyes and should
be stopped. Those who have never
used properly fitted glasses can not
realize the great relief afforded un-
til they try a good pair. Go to Con-
ley's Store and have an examination
made by Mr. E. E. Henry, who is a
graduate optician of long experi-
ence, and as competent as is found
anywhere. Examination free.

ESTEP.

We are sorry to hear of the death
of Walter Queen, of this place. He
was a good man and loved by all
who knew him.

Vini McCormick spent Sunday with
Ballard Smith and family at Buch-
anan.

Wm. Easton and wife are well sat-
isfied at their new home. Mr. East-
on says he would rather fiddle cat-
tle in winter than measure calves
behind the counter. He carries his
produce to Wm. Taylor and son,
at Louisa.

Mrs. Mary Hall is staying with Mrs.
W. M. Easton.
Wm. Easton will go to saw logging
in a few days, as he will have a mill
here before long.

Gene Queen and Rev. Kirt Ste-
ward were killing bugs for P. F. Lam-
bert Saturday.

LIZZIE.

Fox hunting is all the go. Grover
Thornbury says Mice is the best dog.
West Savage and Arthur Justice
are cutting wood for Frank Adkins.

Miss Mollie Thornbury, who has been
visiting in Ohio, has just returned
home.

Jim Woods made a business trip to
Fullers Station Monday.

Winter school will begin at No. 11
Monday. Isaac Cunningham teacher.

Tom Queen has purchased a fine
gray horse from Mr. Sim Mullins.

T. Riffe and Willie Queen were out
sleighriding Sunday.

Miss Maud Taylor is visiting at
Seed Tick.

Miss Jennie Thornbury called on her
sister, Mrs. Ollie Holbrook, one
day last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Cunningham has been on
the sick list.

Miss Pearl Justice is visiting
friends in Graham, Va.

EAST FORK.

Rev. Surgeon preached a very in-
teresting sermon at Trinity Sunday
evening.

Prof. Isaac Cunningham opened his
school Monday with 42 scholars.

Mrs. Isaac Cunningham, who has
been very sick for several days, is
improving.

Good Position.

Henry G. Snyder, of Lexington, was
here Wednesday evening on his re-
turn from Philadelphia. He has re-
cently been appointed an attorney
for the Southern Mutual Investment
Company, a large and successful in-
stitution of Lexington. The position
is a desirable one.
A. Smith Bowman, secretary and
general manager of the Southern Mu-
tual Investment Company, when ask-
ed by the Leader about the matter
said:
"Yes, it is a fact that we have es-
tablished a distinct legal department
with Mr. Snyder as attorney. The
growth of the company during the
past year, coupled with the fact
that it does business in thirty States,
besides Canada, Mexico and Cuba,
and is subject to the legal require-
ments and regulations of all these
States, with many intricate and de-
tailed questions to handle, has made
the establishment of a legal depart-
ment an administrative necessity. The
firm of Brockbridge & Shelby will
of course, remain the advisory coun-
sel of the company, and Mr. Snyder
will handle the inside work. We
think the training Mr. Snyder has had
and the fact that he has made a
special study of insurance law, the
principles of which are very similar
to those governing the operations of
legitimate Investment Companies, par-
ticularly fit him for undertaking the
important legal work to which he
has been assigned."

ADAMS.

The revival meeting at Dry Ridge
closed Sunday.

Prof. W. A. Hays started January
1st for Louisville to enter a med-
ical school.

Bill Thompson, of Prosperity, passed
through here Monday enroute to
Louisa.

School closed at Little Blaine Jan-
1st. The little folks say they are
very lonesome.

Tom Caddle, of Brushy, passed up
our creek Tuesday.

Dave Adams is attending school at
Rich creek.

Johnnie Hays was shopping at
Blaine recently.

There will be church at Dry Ridge
Monday night the 23rd by Rev. Hays.
Also, there will be a quarterly meet-
ing some time during that week.

Miss Pickle, of Louisa, spent last
week with S. A. Berry.

Lafe Thompson called on his best
girl at Dave Carmute's Sunday.

Misses Seena Berry and Genoa Car-
ter were visiting Lizzie Carter
Tuesday.

Mart Hayes and Walter Davis were
out rabbit hunting Wednesday.

A few of the young folks of this
place attended the closing of the Dry
Ridge school Tuesday.

Sue Hayes school closed Friday.

Mrs. John R. Spence, who has been
very ill, is some better.

Doc Carter was on our streets Wed-
nesday.

Mrs. Fannie Gussler called on home
folks Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Pattie Fraley was visiting Mrs.
Fletcher Moore Thursday.

Anderson Moore, of Mattie, passed
through here Thursday.

The Sunday School at Evergreen
is progressing nicely to have so much
bad weather.

There will be preaching at Spencer's
the fourth Saturday and Sunday by
Rev. Carmute.

Mat Berry and son and Jay Hays,
of Mattie, were here Wednesday.

Lafe Hayes made a flying trip to
Shannon's Friday.

PERSONALS.

J. G. Burns was an Ashland visitor
Tuesday.

D. Barrett, of Catlettsburg, is a visit-
or in Louisa.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Biggs spent
Sunday with relatives in Huntington.

F. L. Stewart returned Monday
from Ironton where he spent Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace have
been visiting relatives in Catletts-
burg.

Mrs. James Q. Lackey has returned
from a visit to relatives in Cat-
lettsburg.

Mrs. W. M. Justice returned Mon-
day from a visit to relatives at
Buchanan.

T. L. O'Daniel and Lewis Nunley,
of Huletts, were business visitors in
Louisa Monday.

J. R. Lyon, representing the Smith-
Brice Shoe Co., of Lynchburg, was in
Louisa last week.

Mrs. J. H. Cordie returned Monday
from a visit of several days to re-
latives in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. John C. Taylor arrived from
Lexington Monday for a visit to her
sister, Mrs. R. H. Ragland.

Miss Willie Muncey has gone to
Ashland to see her sister, Mrs. A. H.
Moore, who is dangerously ill.

Miss Jennie Rice, of Yatesville, and
her guest, Miss Bullington, of Ash-
land, were in Louisa yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hatten came
up from Buchanan Monday for a few
days visit to their daughter, Mrs.
F. T. D. Wallace, Jr.

Mr. Garrit A. Nash, of Chicago, is
expected here to join his wife, who
has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F.
Shipman for some time.

Miss Margaret O'Brien arrived Tues-
day from Holden, W. Va., for a short
visit to home folks. She is cashier in
a coal company's store at that
place and this is her first visit home
since last May.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mason came
down from Dwaile, Floyd county, Sat-
urday and were guests over Sunday
of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Morris. Mon-
day Mrs. Mason went to Catlettsburg
to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs.
I. B. Hutchison, Mr. Mason return-
ing to Dwaile.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CATTLE: Very quiet; good light
helfers steady to strong and other
grades weak, shippers' 4.25 to 5;
butcher steers good to choice 4 to 4.50,
common to fair 2.65 to 3.75; helfers,
good to choice 3.75 to 4.25, common
to fair 2 to 2.50.

CALVES: Active and strong; no
extra on sale; fair to good 6.75 to
7.50, common and large 4 to 6.75.

HOGS: Active; packers' and butch-
ers' strong and 5c higher; select
shippers' 5c higher; stags steady;
selected heavy shippers' 4.50, good to
choice packers and butchers' 4.75 to
4.80, mixed packers' 4.65 to 4.75,
stags 3.75 to 3.50, light shippers' 4.35
to 4.50, pigs 4 to 4.30.

SHEEP: Steady; extra 5.30 to 5.25,
good to choice 4.60 to 5, common to
fair 3 to 4.50.

New Chairman and Secretary.

The Democratic County Committee
met at the court house last Monday
and accepted the resignation of
County Chairman A. O. Carter, which
was offered some time ago. Bert
Shannon, Circuit Clerk, was elected
to fill the vacancy, and Richard A.
Moore was elected as secretary. Both
of these young men are competent
for the work before them, and will
serve the party faithfully and impar-
tially. Another meeting of the com-
mittee will be held soon to decide
upon the time and method of making
nominations for county officers to be
filed at the November election.

No. 7110.

Report of the condition of the FIRST
NATIONAL BANK OF LOUISA, at
Louisa, in the State of Kentucky,
at the close of business, Jan. 11, 1905.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts \$108 619 14
Overdrafts secured and un-
secured 3 536 91
U. S. Bonds to secure cir-
culation 7 500 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 421 88
Bonds, securities, etc. 23 017 77
Banking house, furniture
and fixtures 4 000 00
Other real estate owned 300 00
Due from National Banks
(not reserve agents) 277 68
Due from approved reserve
agents 13 374 79
Checks and other cash items
Notes of other National Banks
Fractional paper currency,
nickels and cents 138 67
Lawful Money reserve in
Bank, viz: Specie \$3,191.30
Legal-tender notes \$3,504.00—
Redemption fund with U. S.
Treasurer (5 per cent. of
circulation) 375 00
Total \$179 922 85

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in \$30 000 00
Surplus fund 6 000 00
Undivided profits, less ex-
penses and taxes paid 1 304 97
National Bank notes out-
standing 7 500 00
Due to other National Banks
and Bankers 324 27
Individual deposits subject
to check 138 761 03
Demand certificates of de-
posit 1 920 06
Total \$179 922 85

STATE OF KENTUCKY.
COUNTY OF LAWRENCE, ss:
I, G. R. VINSON, Cashier of the above-
named bank, do solemnly swear that
the above statement is true to the best
of my knowledge and belief.
G. R. VINSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14th day of Jan. 1905.
J. L. CARVE,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 19, 1905.
Correct—Attest:
M. S. BURNS,
P. T. D. WALLACE, Directors.
A. J. GARBER.

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—OF—

25 to 50

Per Cent

—IN—

1500

Pairs.

All Sizes, Colors, Shapes
and Styles.

Special Pants Sale.

See Our Show Window for
Prices.

Same Reductions in

OVERCOATS.

We Will Not Carry Them Over.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY FOR PRICES

SHIPMAN & RAGLAND

Greatest Shirt Sale

On Record.

All \$1.00 and \$1.25
Shirts are now being
sold for

35 cents.

Big Line of LACES and EMBROIDERIES
Just Received.

D. BROWN & CO.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Cure Grip
in Two Days.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. *E. H. Lown*
on every
box 25c.

Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.

THE PEOPLE'S BIG STORE

DAILY RECEIVING.

Dry Goods, Waist Goods, Notions and Fancy Goods.

The Most Progressive Up-to- date Stock You can Select From in this Section.

Pierce & Derrick,

Bargain Leaders.

Deer For Sale.
We have two young deer for sale
for the reason that we will have no
place to keep them when we go in-
to business in West Virginia. They
are of the large black tail family
and are as gentle as dogs. They
were caught in the State of Washing-
ton by M. H. Thompson and a com-
panion. They are fine pets and we
regret to part with them. Will sell
them at a reasonable price if disposed
of within ten days. They are on the
Wiley Bartlett farm five miles from
Louisa.
Pierce & Derrick.

GRAYSON.
The Grayson Tribune says:
Dr. Morton Watson, a chief promo-
ter in the big Olive Hill fire clay
deal, was in town Friday.
R. L. Neff, of Lexington, was here
Tuesday enroute to Blaine in the
interest of the New Domestic Oil and
Gas Company. He will surrender a
big lot of leases while here.
Z. Taylor Young has resigned as
County Attorney of Rowan and the
County Judge has appointed Attor-
ney J. W. Riley. Mr. Young will lo-
cate at Pikeville to practice law.

An oil company in which Attorneys
Wilhoit and Salmon, of Ashland, are
interested, made a big strike in
Wolfe county, bringing in a fifty bar-
rel well.
Nicholas Fischer, a former citizen
of this place and prominent in lum